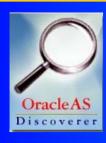


Discoverer Web for AQS

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Goals for this class

- ♦ Introduce Discoverer Plus
- Finding the data you need
- Designing your workbooks
- Sharing your results
- Helping yourself





What is Discoverer?

- A <u>business intelligence</u> tool for ad hoc queries, reporting, analysis, and Web publishing from Oracle Corporation
- A retrieval only tool that works on a relational database whether it's designed for online transaction processing (OLAP) or as a data warehouse



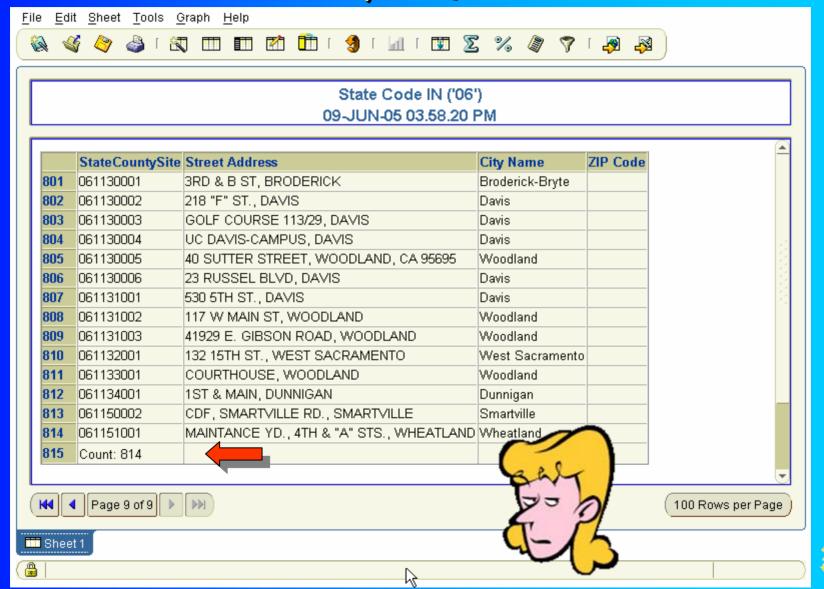
It's the ad hoc query tool for AQS!

How many AQS sites are there in California?





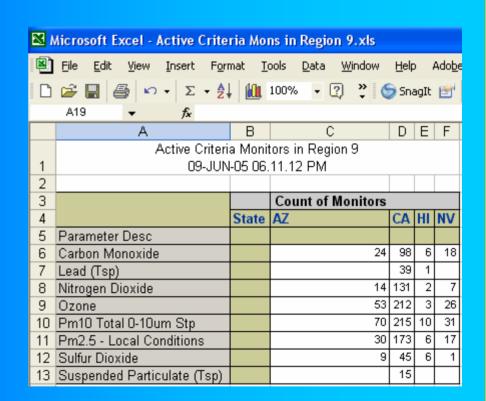
It's the ad hoc query tool for AQS!



How many active criteria monitors are there in Region 9 states?

Active Criteria Monitors in Region 9 09-JUN-05 06.08.48 PM

		Count of Monitors			
	State	ΑZ	CA	HI	NV
Parameter Desc					
Carbon Monoxide		24	98	6	18
Lead (Tsp)			39	1	
Nitrogen Dioxide		14	131	2	7
Ozone		53	212	3	26
Pm10 Total 0-10um Stp		70	215	10	31
Pm2.5 - Local Conditions		30	173	6	17
Sulfur Dioxide		9	45	6	1
Suspended Particulate (Tsp)			15		

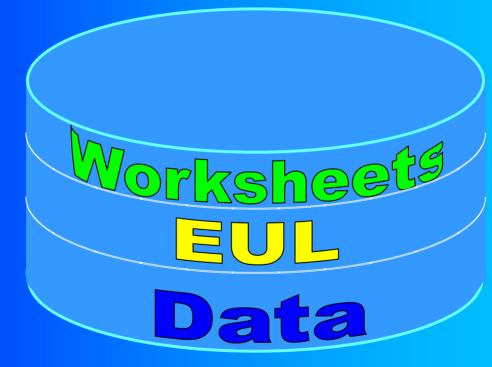


Discoverer

Exported to Excel



How does this work?



End User Layer



Key Terminology

Interface to database = End User Layer **Grouping of Tables** Group of worksheets = Workbook

= Business Area

Tables

Folders

Columns

Items

Rows

Records

Queries

Worksheets



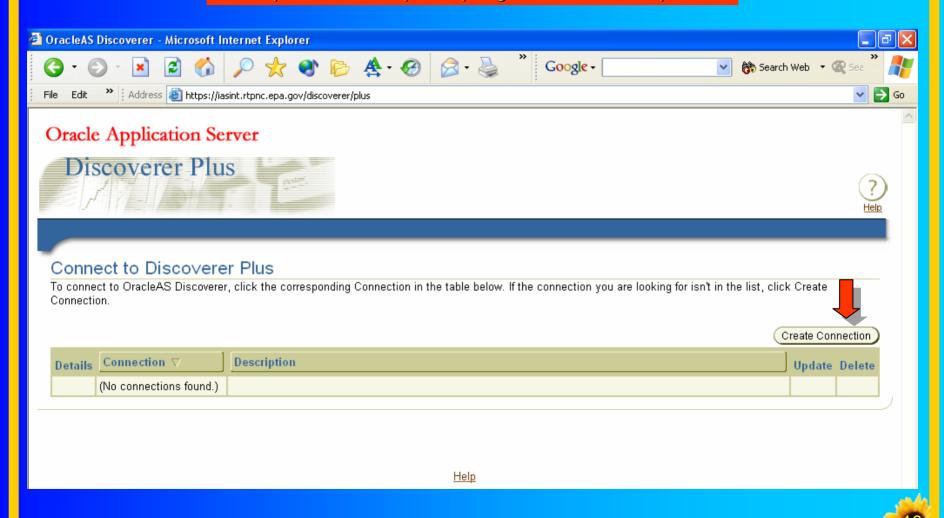
What you need

- AQS userid and password
- Java-enabled Web browser
- Java Virtual Machine (JVM) such as Oracle Jinitiator
- Latest security certificate (pokeCertdb.bat)
- url: https://iasint.rtpnc.epa.gov/discoverer/plus

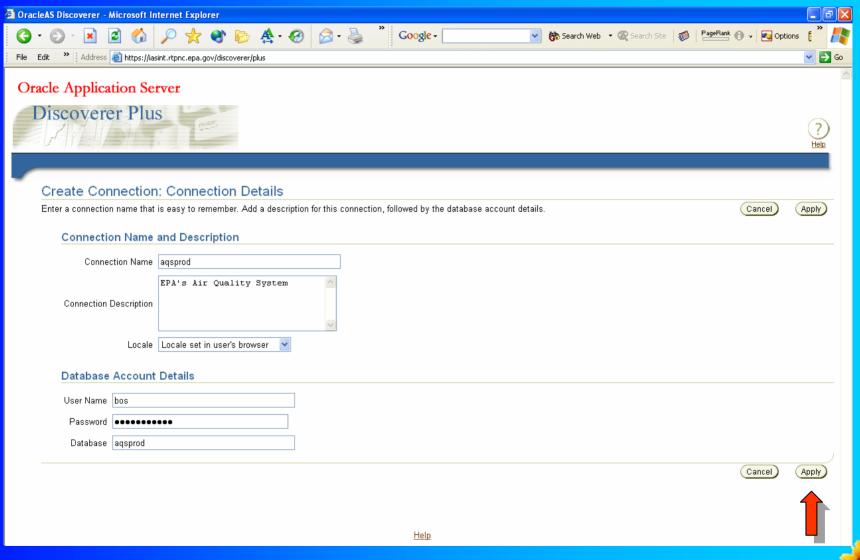


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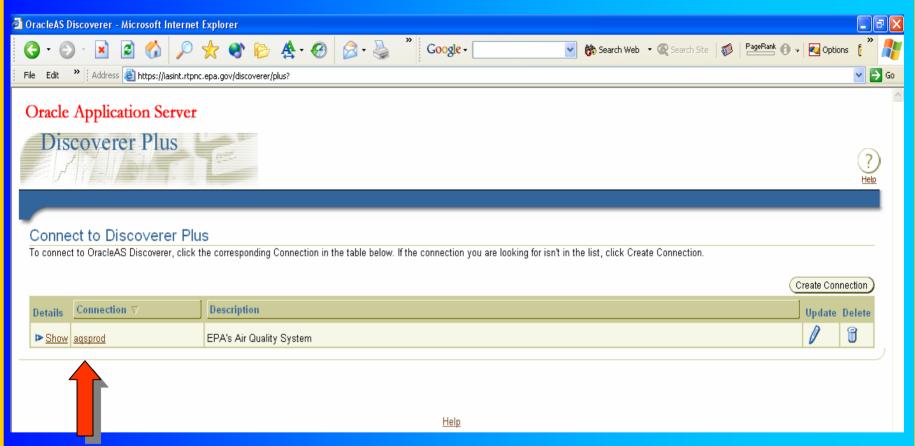
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Create a Connection



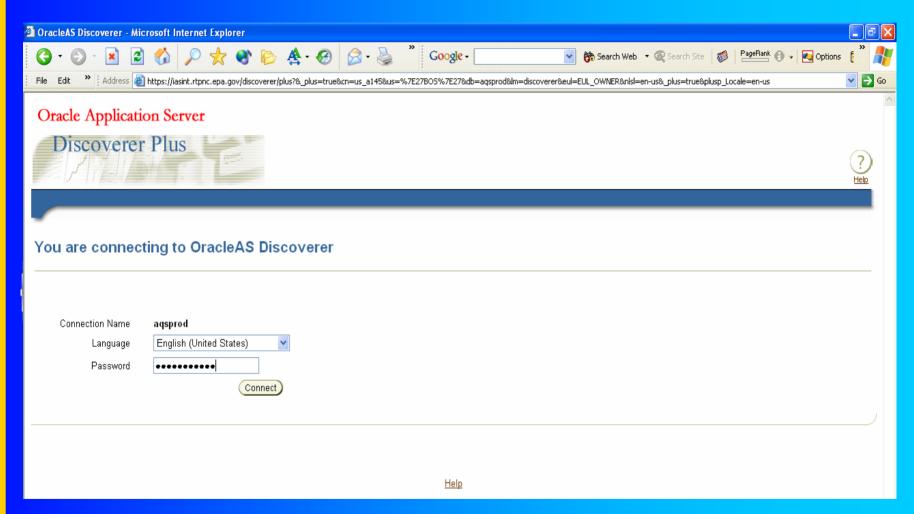
Connection Created



use this connection



Connection Created





Successful connection

Oracle Application Server Discoverer Plus

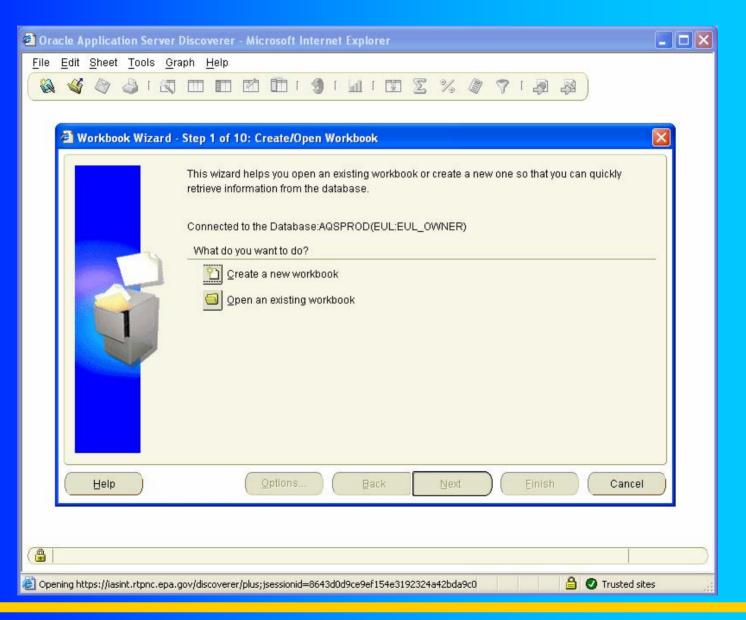
Oracle Application Server 10g



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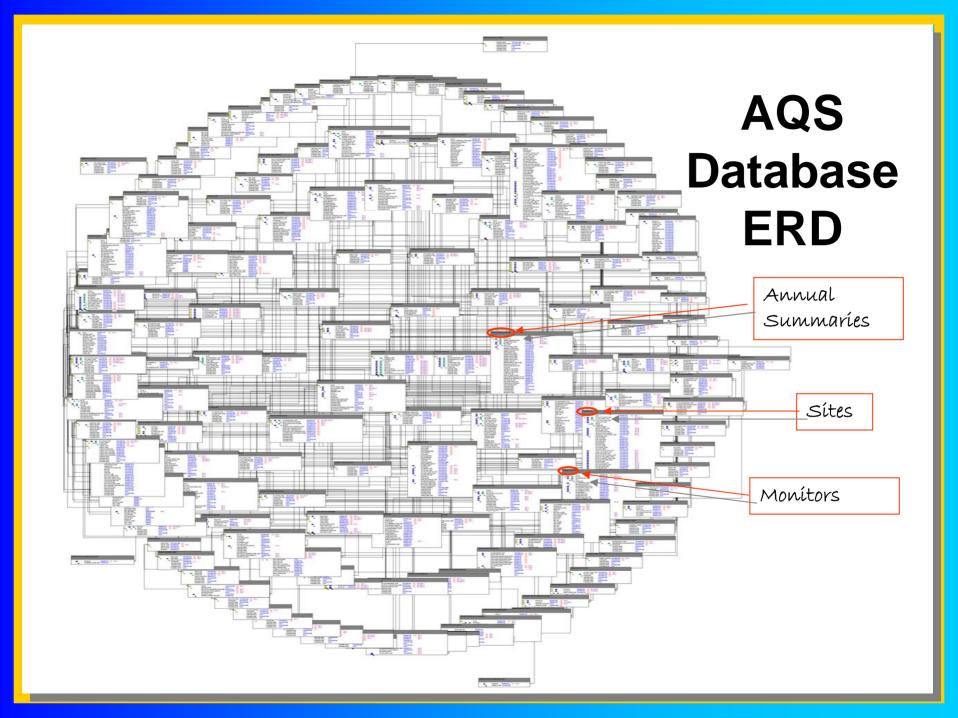
Successful connection





Create/Open a Workbook?





Your Business Areas

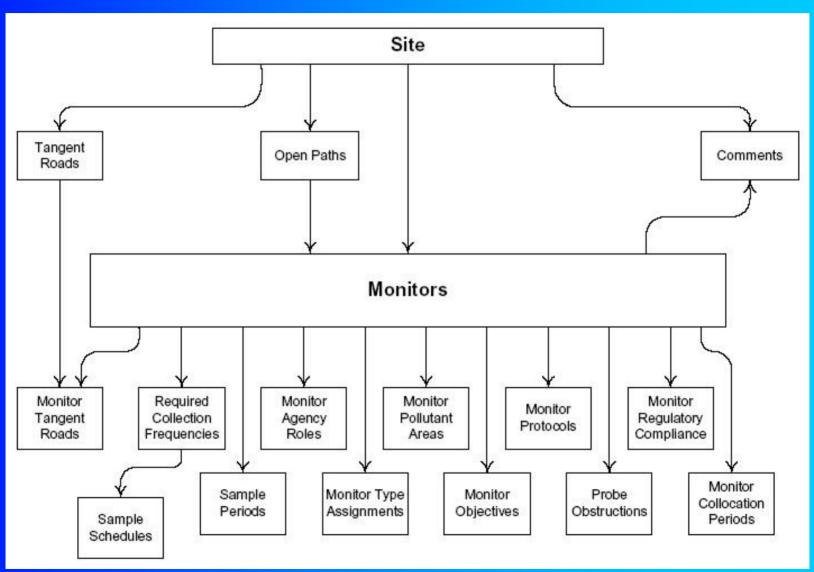
AQS basic

AQSprod 9i

- Folders are composed primarily of views (i.e., combinations of tables) in the aqsprod database as described in the Data Dictionary
- Reference tables (e.g., States, Parameters, Units)
- Raw data and other additional folders in AQSprod 9i

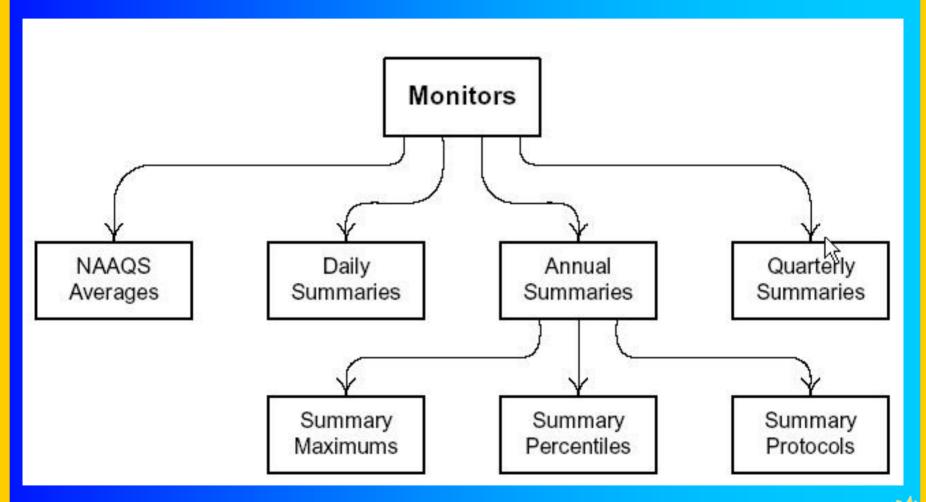


Data Model for AQS

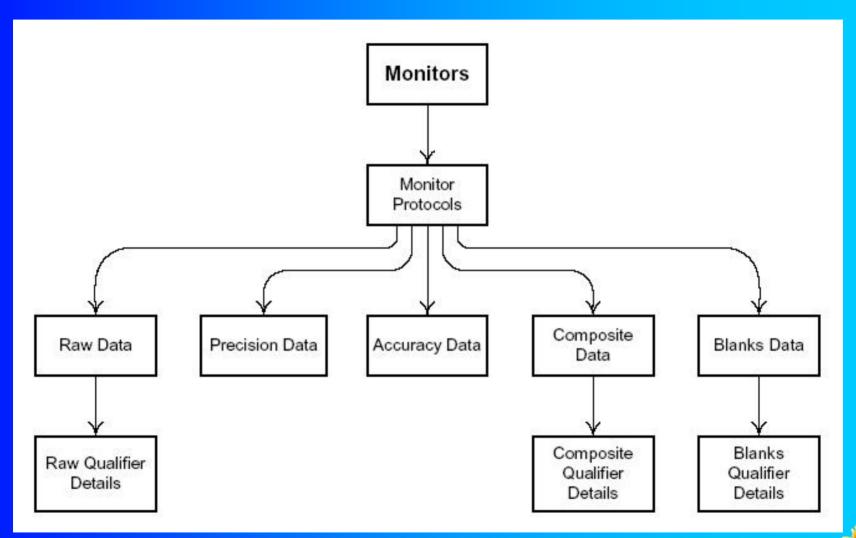




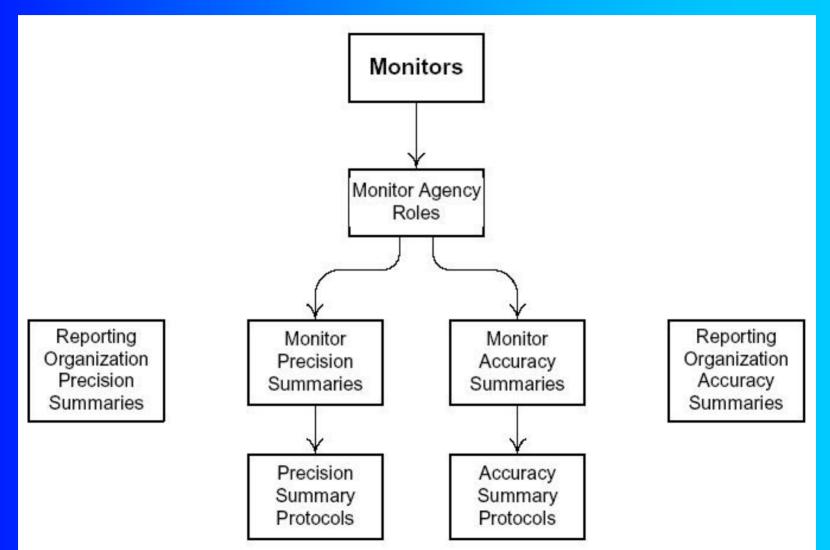
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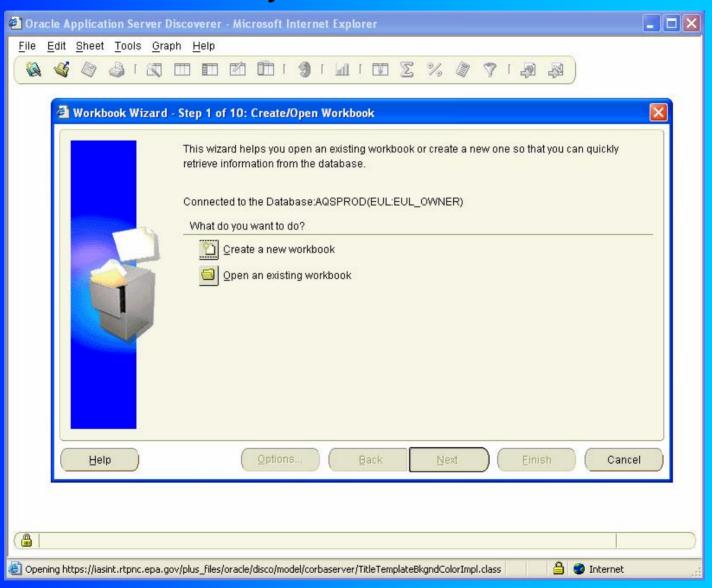
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Data Model for AQS, cont'd



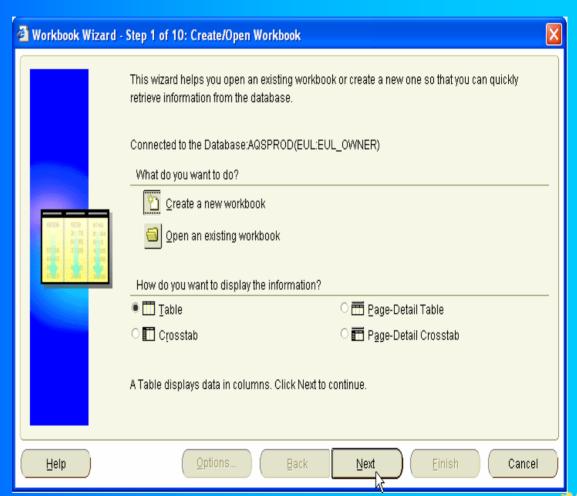
Create/Open a Workbook





Creating a New Workbook

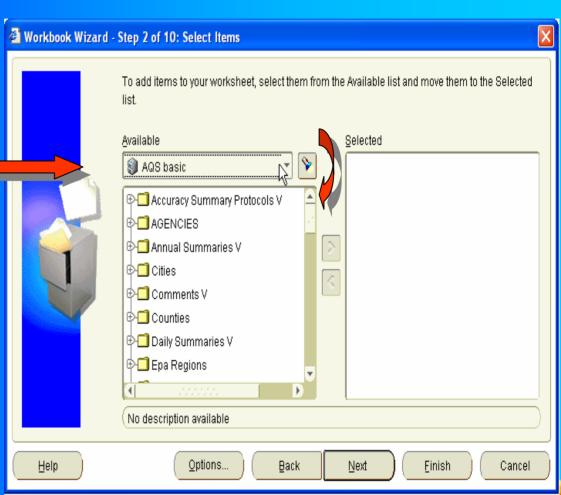
- Use the WorkbookWizard
- Start with a simple goal in mind e.g.,
 Find the states in your region



Selecting Items

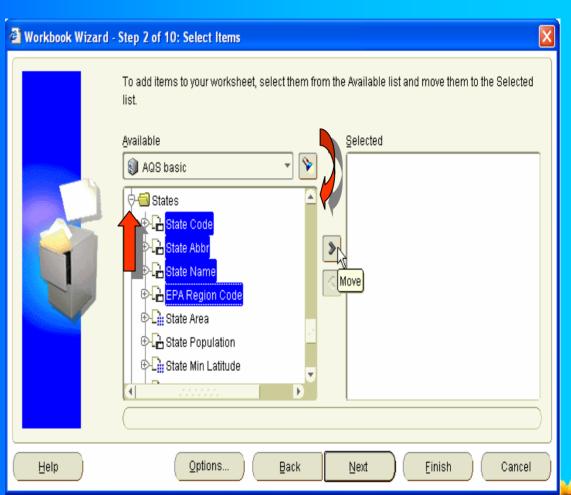
AQS basic is the simplest BusinessArea

- Scroll through list of folders
- Expand a folder to see its items

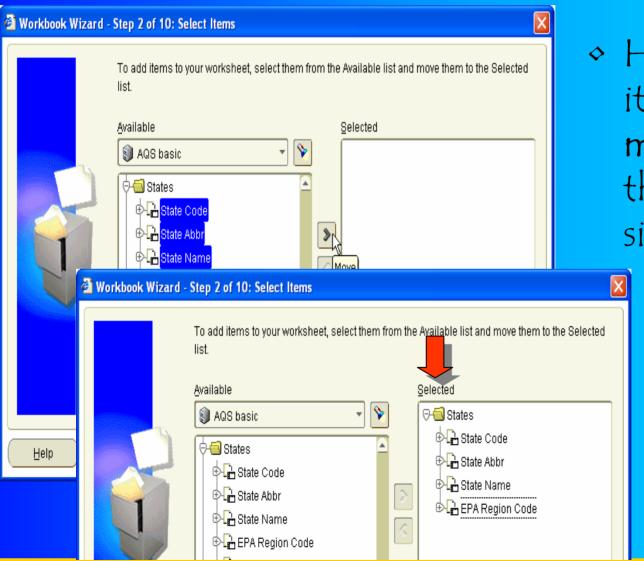


Selecting Items

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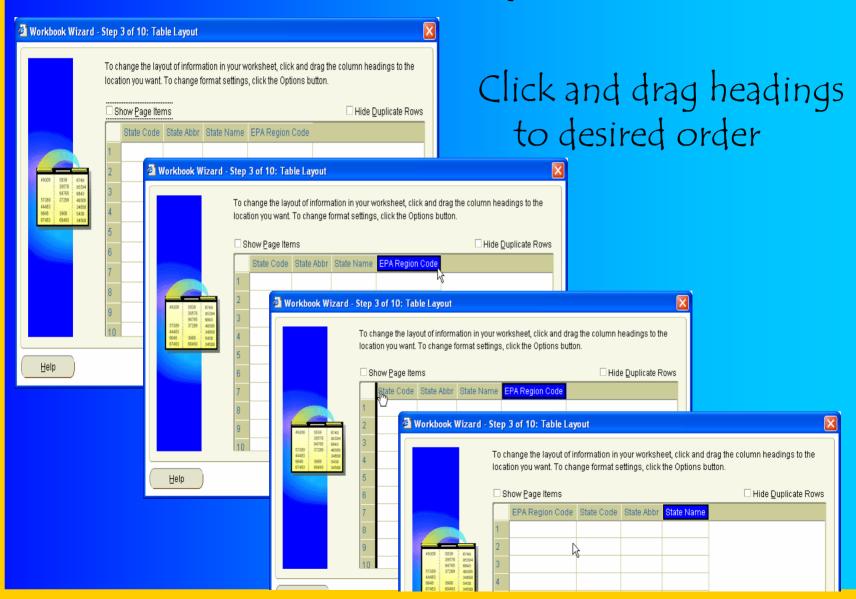


Selecting Items, cont'd

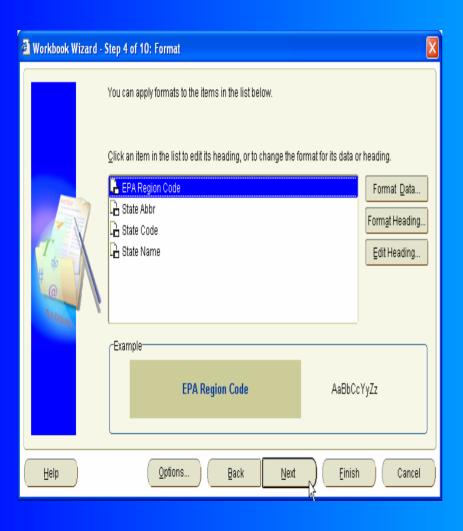


Highlight
 items and
 move them to
 the Selected
 side

Table Layout



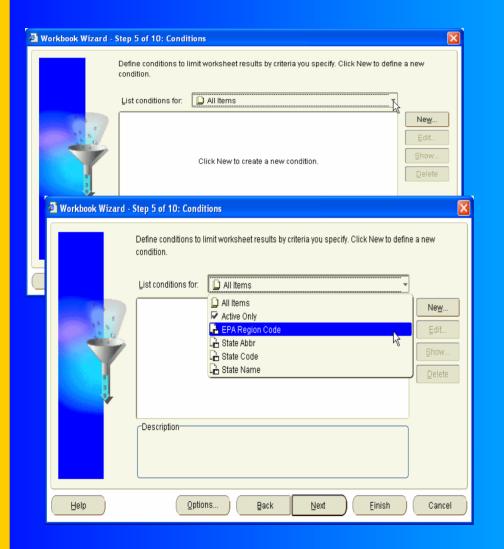
Formatting

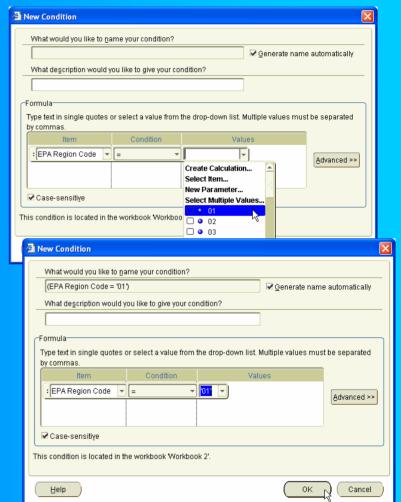


- Format data and headings for items
- Edit heading for an item

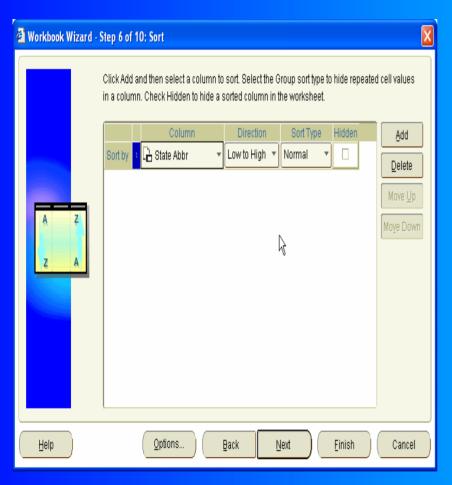


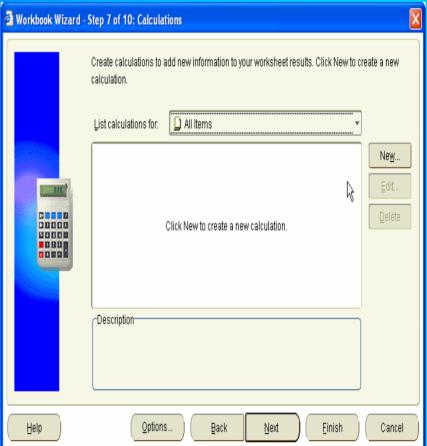
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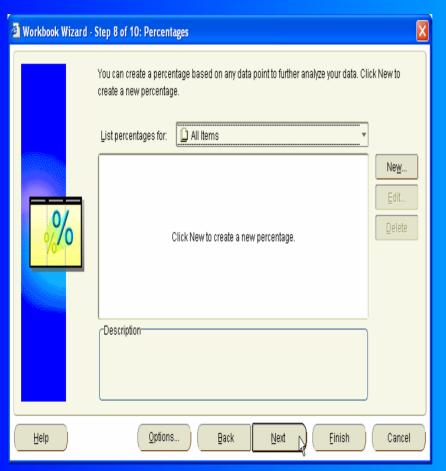
Sorts and Calculations

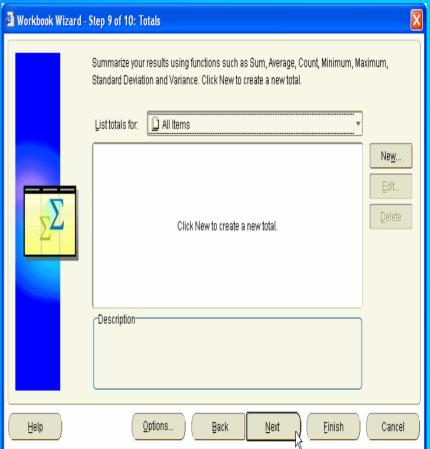






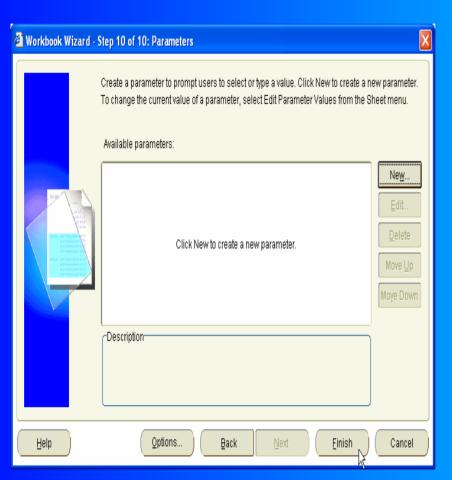
Percentages and Totals

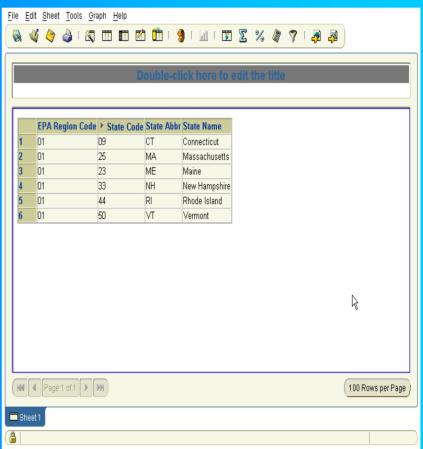






Parameters and Results



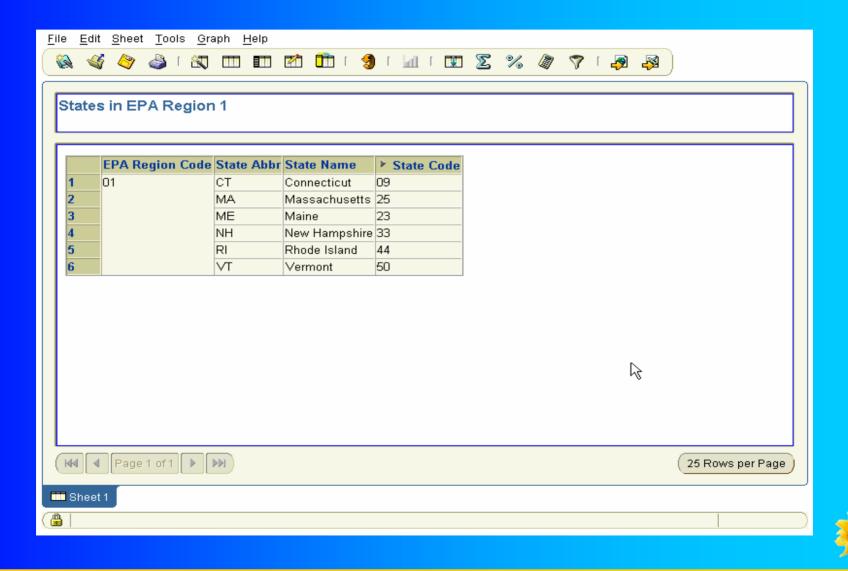


Exercise 1

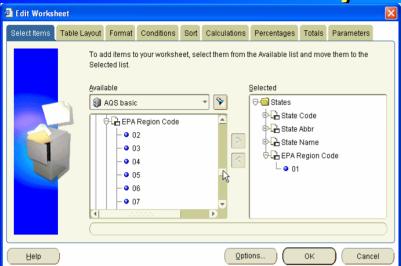
- 1. Launch a web browser
- 2. Go to https://iasint.rtpnc.epa.gov/discoverer/plus
- 3. Create your connection and Connect to agsprod
- 4. Create a new workbook using the AQS basic business area to show all states within your EPA region
- 5. Adjust the table layout so that EPA Region is in column 1, State Abbreviation in column 2, State Name in column 3, State Code in column 4
- 6. Center headings for all columns (Format)
- 7. Sort by EPA Region, then State Abbreviation. Change to a group sort on EPA Region.
- 8. Add a title



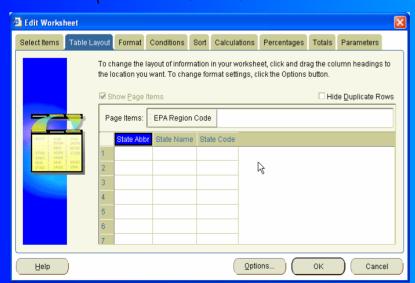
Exercise 1: Sample Results



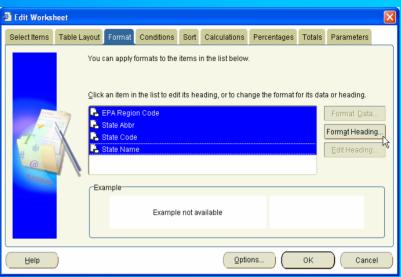
Did you notice?



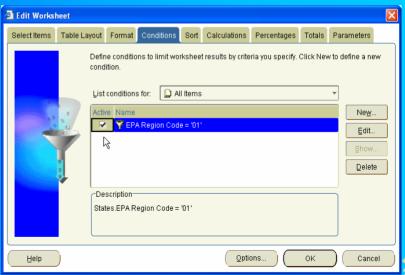
List of values (LOV)



Page Items



Format multíple headings



Conditions may be inactive



Exercise 2

No Cheating!

- 1. List all the parameters (pollutants) measured at site 06-001-0007
- 2. Modify #1 to include only parameters being sampled since 2003
- 3. Modify #1 to show sampling end dates

Exercise 2 Results

All parameters at site

All parms since 2003

All parms w/end date

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N	State Code	County Code	Site ID	Parameter Code
1	06	001	0007	42101
2	06	001	0007	42601
3	06	001	0007	42602
4	06	001	0007	43101
5	06	001	0007	43201
6	06	001	0007	44201
7	06	001	0007	68101
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9	06	001	0007	68103
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14	06	001	0007	68109
15	06	001	0007	81102
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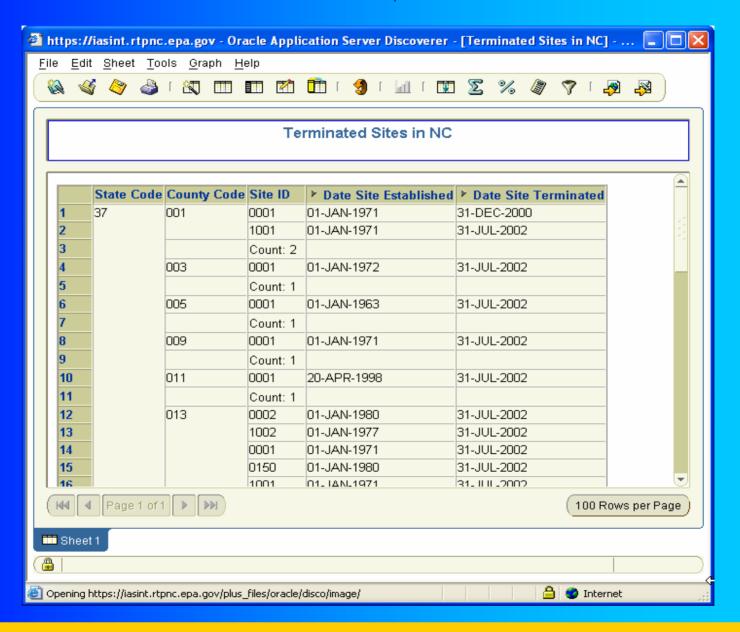


Exercise 3

- 1. List all sites in your state that have been terminated. For each row, show the state code, county code, site ID, date site created and date site terminated.
- 2. Add a title.
- 3. Include a count of the number of sites that have been terminated for each county and a grand total at the bottom. (Hint: Use "Totals" under Tools menu or \$\overline{\Sigma}\$.)



Exercise 3 sample results





Other Views -

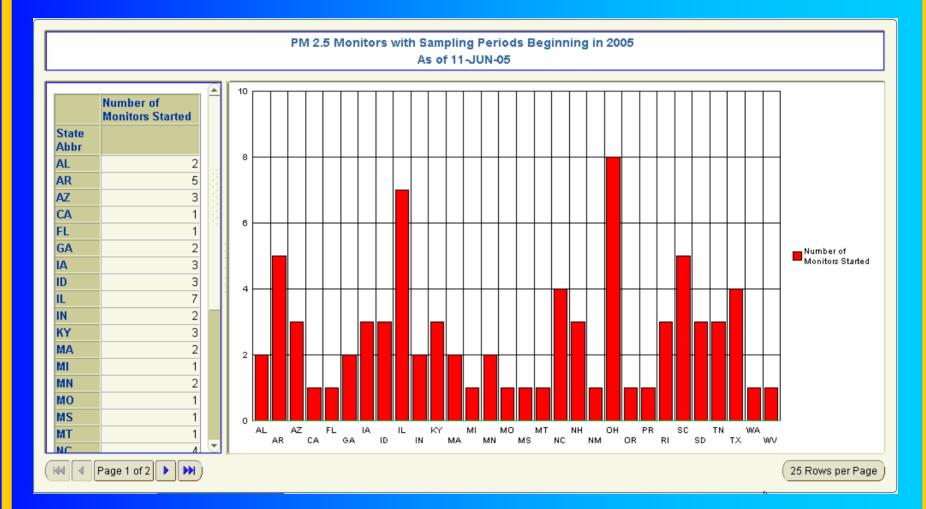
Crosstab

PM 2.5 Monitors with Sampling Periods Beginning in 2005 As of 11-JUN-05

	Number of Monitors Started
State Abbr	
AL	2
AR	5
AZ	3
CA	1
FL	1
GA	2
IA	3
ID	3
IL	7
IN	2
KY	3
MA	2
MI	1
MN	2
MO	1
MS	1
MT	1
NC	4
NH	3
NM	1
ОН	8



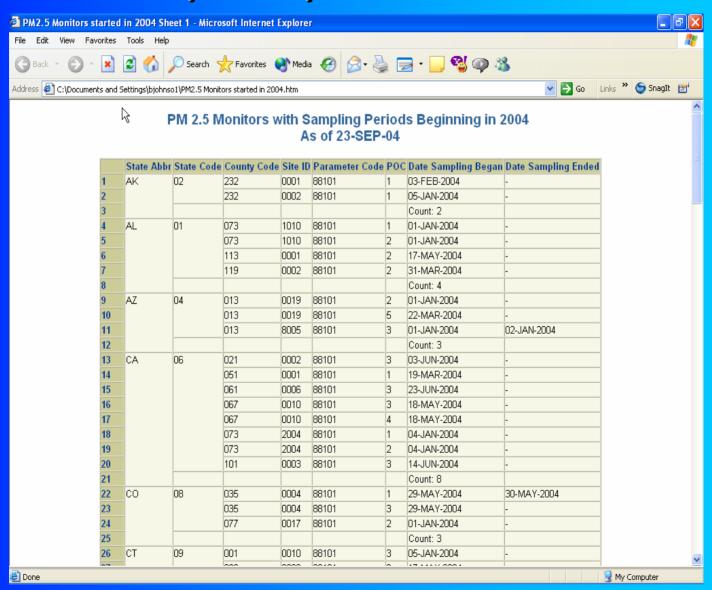
...add a graph.



Output Options - Excel

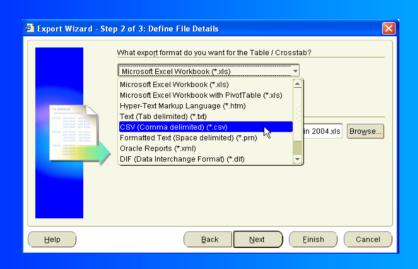
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Output Options - HTML





Other Output Options



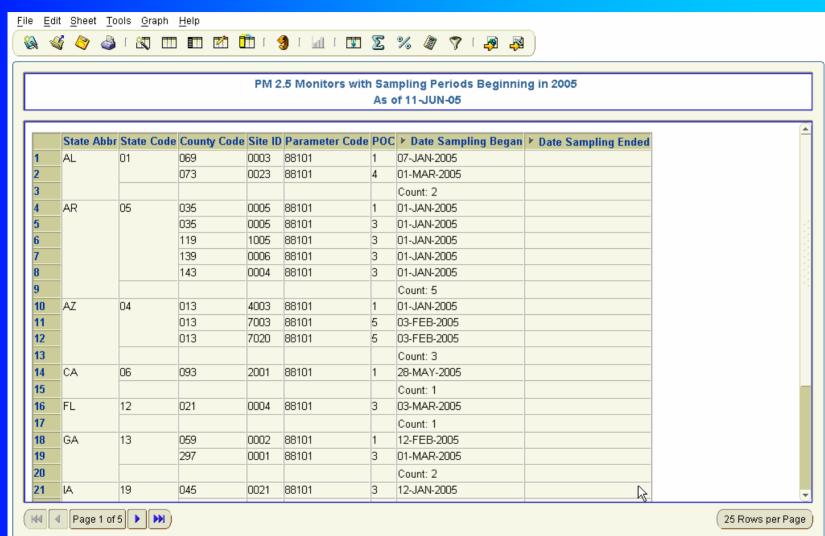
Using More Features

Goal:

- 1. Find all PM 2.5 monitors with sampling periods beginning in 2005
- 2. Sort the results by state abbreviation, county, site, and POC
- 3. Display start date and end date (if any) for sampling periods
- 4. Display count of monitors in each state.
- 5. Add an appropriate title
- 6. Save the workbook on the database
- 7. Share your workbook with your neighbor



Desired Results





Sheet 1

Live Demo..........

Post presentation note:

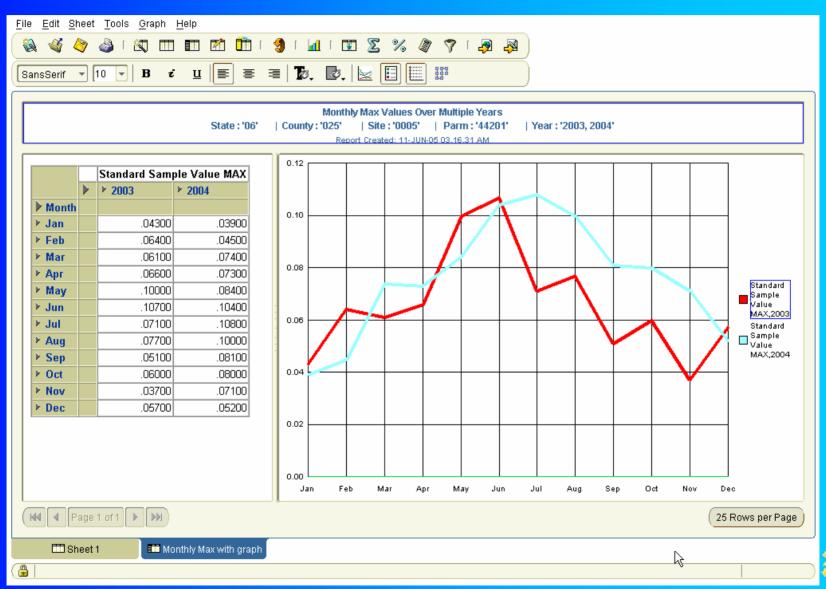
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Then the worksheets shown in the next 4 pages were shown.

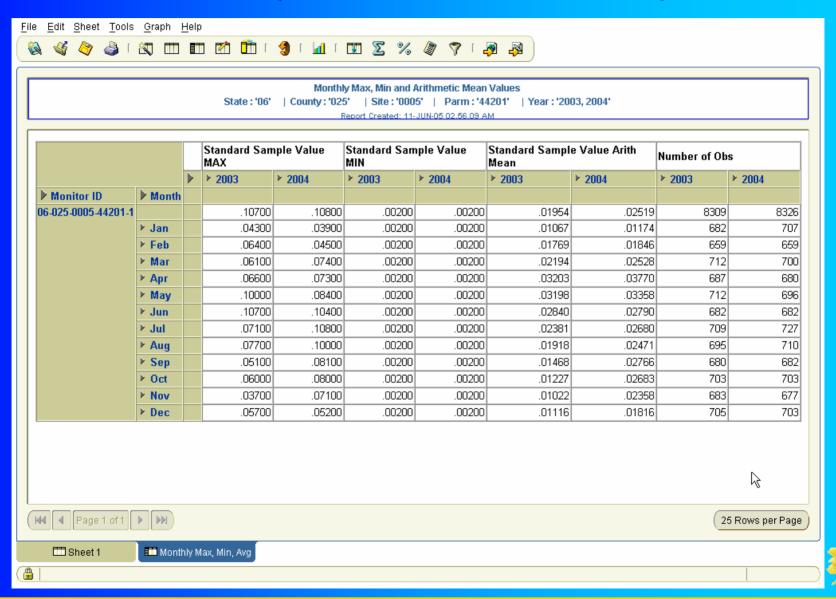
All of these workbooks have been shared with all users. Look for them with names beginning with "BOS". Users can use them as they are, or edit them and save them under their own userid.



Monthly Max Values with Graph



Sample Monthly Max, Min, Mean by Monitor



Sample Quarterly Max, Min, Mean



Quarterly Max, Min and Arithmetic Mean Values

State: '06' | County: '025' | Parm: '44201' | Year: '2004'

Report Created: 11-JUN-05 02:33:16 AM

		▶ Yr	▶ Yr ▶ 2004															
			▶ Q1				▶ Q2				▶ Q3				▶ Q4			
			Std Sample Value MAX	Std Sample Value MIN	Std Sample Value AVG	of Obs	Sample Value	Std Sample Value MIN	Std Sample Value AVG	Number of Obs	Sample Value	Std Sample Value MIN	Std Sample Value AVG	of Obs	Sample Value	Std Sample Value MIN	Std Sample Value AVG	Number of Obs
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	06-025-0005-44201-1		.07400	.00200	.01847	2066	.10400	.00200	.03306	2058	.10800	.00200	.02638	2119	.08000	.00200	.02285	2083
	06-025-0006-44201-1		.06500	.00200	.02253	2060	.12400	.00600	.04225	2064	.09300	.00800	.03149	2093	.06500	.00200	.02238	2060
CALIFORNIA 3			.08700	.00200	.02274	8250	.10900	.00200	.04090	8322	.10600	.00200	.02997	8364	.08700	.00200	.02027	7829
	06-025-0004-44201-1		.06900	.00200	.01803	2041	.10500	.00200	.03020	2089	.09400	.00200	.01934	2116	.06000	.00200	.01078	2108
	06-025-1003-44201-1		.08700	.00200	.02203	2033	.09000	.00200	.04657	2056	.09600	.00200	.03697	2050	.08700	.00200	.02657	2074
	06-025-4003-44201-1		.07700	.00200	.01646	2089	.10900	.00200	.04076	2091	.10600	.00200	.03140	2096	.08300	.00200	.02273	1581
	06-025-4004-44201-1		.07900	.00700	.03433	2087	.09200	.00200	.04615	2086	.08300	.00200	.03241	2102	.08100	.00200	.02175	2066

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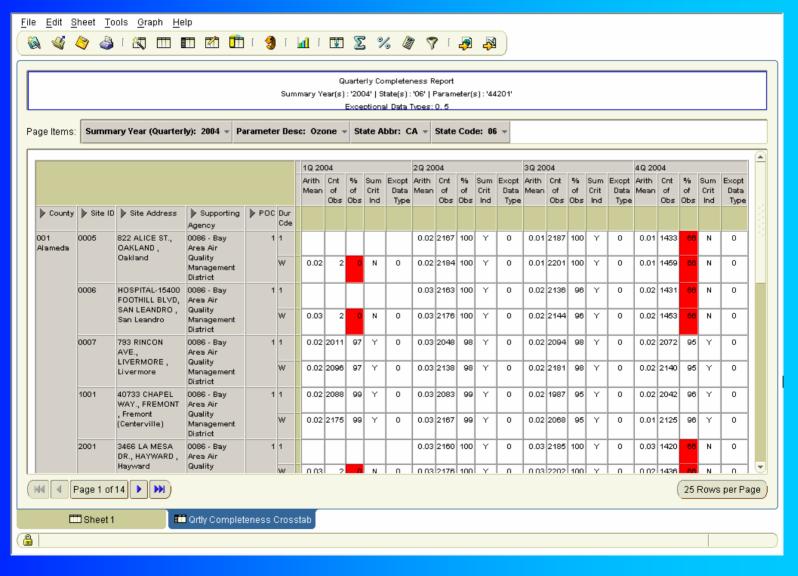
🛗 Sheet 1

III Qtrly Max, Min, Avg by Monitor ID





Sample Quarterly Completeness Report





Hints and Tips and Other Good Stuff

AQSprod is the database instance name

Discoverer is accessing the live production database (AQSprod – same as the AQS application)

Your Discoverer userid and password are the same as your AQS application userid and password

♦ Only registered AQS users can access AQSprod via Discoverer

- If you delete your cookies, you'll have to recreate your connection
- Your Connection must be created on each different PC you use
- There is one EUL for AQS; multiple Business Areas
- AQS basic has the most commonly used tables
- AQSprod 9i includes all the tables in AQS basic plus raw data current and a few other related tables
- Online Help is pretty good!
- Any workbook you share with others will have your userid appended to the beginning of the workbook name
- You can get to Discoverer from the AQS Web Application link on the EPA TTN AQS page http://www.epa.gov/ttn/airs/airsaqs/
- You can find answers to some of the Frequently Asked Questions from a link on the same page
- Many of the reference tables are viewable from http://www.epa.gov/ttn/airs/airsaqs/manuals/codedescs.htm

Hints and Tips and Other Good Stuff, cont'd

- Max time for Discoverer queries = 60 mins; Max number of rows= 100,000
- Many of the date fields are defined as YYYYMonDD HH:MM e.g., 2005Jun11 01:22
- Many date fields are also defined for just the YYYY, or Q, Mon, or DD, or HH, or MM
- If you can't get a total within Discoverer, you may want to export to a spreadsheet and perform your totals (and other calculations) there.
- ♦ Java is secure with the Verisign Security Certificate updated annually
- Your browser must allow downloads of signed Active X controls to install the Unitiator (Java Initiator) from Oracle either by identifying Oracle as a trusted site or prompting. As of 6/11/05, we're using version 1.3.1.18 of the Unitiator. (Use Windows Control Panel to see Unitiator Control Panel)
- You can change the default directory for exported worksheets
- Set your defaults to show your conditions and date/time in the title
- Oracle Technology Network is a good source for information free registration look for Discoverer with Data Warehousing and Business Intelligence (http://www.oracle.com/technology/products/discoverer/index.html)
- The next version will always be better . . . Or not.





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